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C O R R E C T E D C O P Y (TEXT)

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E.O. 11652:NA
TAGS: EAGR, JA, ECEM
SUBJECT: TBZ

1. SUMMARY. MIN. OF HEALTH AND WELFARE EARLY THIS WEEK REQUESTED THE FOOD SANITATION INVESTIGATION COUNCIL TO REVIEW THE TBZ ISSUE AND COME UP WITH RECOMMENDATIONS RE APPROVAL OF ITS USE. THIS IS EXPECTED TO CLEAR THE WAY FOR FINAL TBZ APPROVAL WITHIN THE NEXT 4 TO 6 WEEKS. END SUMMARY.

2. MIN. HEALTH AND WELFARE OFFICIALLY REQUESTED FOOD SANITATION INVESTIGATION COUNCIL TO STUDY THE TBZ ISSUE AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS RE TBZ APPROVAL. MINISTER WILL MAKE FINAL DECISION ON BASIS OF THE FSIC RECOMMENDATION. THIS IS EXPECTED TO BE THE LAST FORMALITY LEADING TO FINAL APPROVAL.

3. JULY 4 PRESS REPORTS ASSOCIATED TBZ ACTION WITH AMBASSADOR'S COURTESY CALL ON MHW MINISTER JULY 3 (BEING REPORTED IN SEPTEL). HOWEVER, REQUEST TO FSIC WAS MADE PRIOR TO AMBASSADOR'S VISIT. PRESS ALSO SPECULATED
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THAT FINAL APPROVAL FOR TBZ USE WOULD BE ANNOUNCED IN AUGUST AND BASED ON THE OPP EXPERIENCE APPROVAL SHOULD BE FORTHCOMING BY MID-AUGUST AT THE LATEST. IN ANY CASE, MHW MINISTER AND STAFF FULLY AWARE OF GOJ COMMITMENT AND OUR EXPECTATION FOR EARLY APPROVAL. MANSFIELD

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